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SUBJECT: SALE OF FIELD ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT TO SUDAN

REFS: A. KHARTOUM 1758 (NOTAL) B. STATE 059592 (NOTAL)

1. WE HAVE AUTHORIZED DEFENSE TO PROVIDE P AND A DATA (PRICE AND AVAILABILITY) TO GOS. FOLLOWING RECEIPT, GOS SHOULD CONFIRM REQUEST FOR LOA'S FOR EQUIPMENT IT DESIRES. PROVISION OF P AND A DATA, WHICH NORMALLY TAKES UP TO SIXTY DAYS, WILL ENABLE GOS TO REVIEW UPDATED COST ESTIMATES FOR ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT. AS DEPICTED IN REF A TABLE, 50 PERCENT FACTOR ATTEMPTS TO ENCOMPASS ALL ADDITIONAL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH AN FMS BUY. SEE REF B, PARA 3B.

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2. USE OF PEACE PILLAR FUNDS FOR ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT WOULD BE PREMATURE, IN VIEW LENGTH OF TIME REMAINING IN THAT PROGRAM. DEFENSE ANTICIPATES THAT FIRMER COSTS FOR PEACE PILLAR PROGRAM WILL NOT BE KNOWN FOR AT LEAST A YEAR WHEN ALL ITEMS DELIVERED AND CONTRACTS FINALIZED.

3. IF GOS CONTINUES TO STRESS URGENCY OF ENGINEERING

EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENT, YOU SHOULD POINT OUT THAT DIRECT
COMMERCIAL BUY WOULD BE QUICKER.

4. PLEASE INCLUDE RESPONSIBLE MILITARY DEPARTMENT AS INFO
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